ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A method and apparatus for performing voice message control is described. In one embodiment, the method comprises activating a device, capturing a voice message using a microphone on the device in response to activation of the device, storing at least a portion of the voice message in a memory on the device in response to activation of the device, packetizing the voice message on the device in response to activation of the device, and sending at least one packet of the packetized voice message to a network carrier wirelessly over a packet data network channel in response to activation of the device. In an alternative embodiment, the method comprises de-packetizing a packet stream comprising a voice message recorded and packetized by a device and determining an action to take with respect to the voice message based on content in the voice message.

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